# **NEWS RELEASE**



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## Closures for I-5 HOV Improvement Project (SR-170 – Buena Vista Street)

San Fernando Valley – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following lanes and ramps of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) as part of a \$121 million improvement project to construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV or carpool) lanes in each direction along I-5 between SR-170 to Buena Vista Street. Closures are subject to change. Detours will be signed.

## Golden State Freeway (I-5) Closures

Friday March 30, through Friday April 6, 2012

- Southbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp
  TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 10a.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st)
- Northbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31<sup>st</sup> and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp
  TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31<sup>st</sup> and Sunday April 1st)
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Saturday March 31st and 12 p.m. on Sunday April 1<sup>st</sup>)
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st)
- Northbound I-5 from Penrose Street to Sheldon Street Laurel Canyon Boulevard TIME: Up to Two lanes: 10 p.m. to 6 a.m.
   Three lanes: 1 a.m. to 5 a.m.



- Northbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31<sup>st</sup> and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1<sup>st</sup>) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp
  TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Northbound and Southbound On-Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp
  TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st)
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off and On Ramps
  - TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday March 31st and Sunday April 1st) 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Buena Vista Street Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp TIME: 9 p.m. to 9 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Sunday April 1st)
- Northbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp Time: 10 p.m. to 9 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Sunday April 1st)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramps
  Time: 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Sunday April 1st)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp Time: 8 p.m. to 5 a.m.



 Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista to Penrose Street TIME: Up to Two lanes: 10 p.m. to 8 a.m.
 Three lanes: 1 a.m. to 6 a.m.

- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Penrose Street TIME: Up to Two lanes: 10 p.m. To 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Sunday April 1st) Three lanes: 1a.m. to 6 a.m.
- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Buena Vista Street TIME: Up to Two lanes: 8 p.m. To 8 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Sunday April 1st) Three lanes: 12 a.m. to 5 a.m.
- Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista Street to Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard TIME: Two Lane: 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Sunday April1st) Three Lanes: 12 a.m. to 4 a.m.
- Southbound I-5 from Penrose St to Hollywood Way TIME: Up to Two lanes: 10 p.m. To 6 a.m.

#### **About the Project**

Caltrans is building an HOV lane in each direction of I-5 between SR-170 and north of Buena Vista Street in Burbank.

This project will alleviate congestion, encourage carpooling, improve air quality, provide a smoother ride for motorists, and reduce traffic on city streets.

Work began in early 2011 and is expected to be completed in late 2014. Caltrans thanks motorists for their patience and understanding during construction.

